

Table 20. Weather Summary, Selected U.S. Cities
(Population Weighted Heating Degree-Days¹)

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The weather for the Nation, as measured by population-weighted heating degree-days from July 1, 2000, through April 7, 2001, has been 20 percent cooler than last year and 5 percent cooler than normal.

Location	Current 07/01/00 thru 04/07/01	Previous 07/01/99 thru 04/07/00	Normal 07/01 thru 04/07	Percent Change	
				Current vs. Previous	Current vs. Normal
U.S. Total, Population-Weighted	4,342	3,626	4,151	20	5
Cities					
Albuquerque	4,053	3,445	4,126	18	-2
Amarillo	4,186	3,391	3,979	23	5
Asheville	4,104	3,518	3,958	17	4
Atlanta	2,999	2,287	2,871	31	4
Billings	6,539	5,203	6,311	26	4
Boise	5,289	4,316	5,197	23	2
Boston	5,303	4,575	5,025	16	6
Buffalo	6,133	5,427	5,984	13	2
Cheyenne	6,433	5,432	6,282	18	2
Chicago	6,155	4,991	5,911	23	4
Cincinnati	5,063	4,286	4,840	18	5
Cleveland	5,723	4,858	5,536	18	3
Columbia, SC	2,785	2,326	2,563	20	9
Denver	5,697	4,596	5,334	24	7
Des Moines	6,511	4,833	6,027	35	8
Detroit	5,850	5,085	5,911	15	-1
Fargo	8,737	7,113	8,391	23	4
Hartford	5,892	5,019	5,591	17	5
Houston	1,802	1,063	1,581	70	14
Jacksonville	1,572	1,206	1,413	30	11
Kansas City	5,422	3,981	5,028	36	8
Las Vegas	2,167	1,606	2,298	35	-6
Los Angeles	1,341	963	1,182	39	13
Memphis	3,345	2,375	2,977	41	12
Miami	186	83	200	124	-7
Milwaukee	6,374	5,251	6,459	21	-1
Minneapolis	7,488	5,968	7,307	25	2
Montgomery	2,516	1,843	2,169	37	16
New York	4,492	3,825	4,474	17	0
Oklahoma City	3,986	2,679	3,515	49	13
Omaha	6,217	4,760	5,848	31	6
Philadelphia	4,566	3,886	4,562	17	0
Phoenix	1,129	794	1,294	42	-13
Pittsburgh	5,546	4,688	5,383	18	3
Portland, ME	6,479	5,827	6,441	11	1
Providence	5,341	4,646	5,228	15	2
Raleigh	3,444	3,002	3,281	15	5
Richmond	3,998	3,312	3,738	21	7
St. Louis	4,940	3,639	4,467	36	11
Salem, OR	4,049	3,692	4,109	10	-1
Salt Lake City	5,255	4,432	5,165	19	2
San Francisco	2,334	2,022	2,464	15	-5
Seattle	4,139	3,936	4,106	5	1
Shreveport	2,594	1,633	2,223	59	17
Washington, DC	4,132	3,344	3,806	24	9

¹See Glossary.

Note:• The total heating degree-days for the previous heating season (July 1, 1999 - June 30, 2000) was 4,062 and the normal is 4,575. • A new method for calculating heating/cooling degree days was implemented by the Climate Analysis Center in October 1993, with further refinements implemented in November 1993. The routines incorporate 1961-1990 normals supplied by the National Climatic Data Center, and 1990 census data for calculation of population weighted degree days.